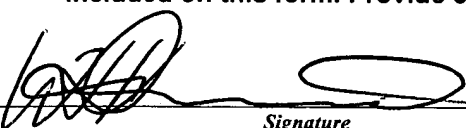


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)				Docket No. 344-P-30-USA	
In Re Application Of: Douglas D. Burket					
Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/069,836	Nov. 4, 2002	Customer		1651	
Invention: IMPROVED DIAGNOSTIC METHOD FOR DETECTING DYSPLASTIC EPITHELIAL TISSUE					
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:					
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>Jan. 31, 2005</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div>					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <input type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months from: <u>April 31, 2005</u> until: <u>July 31, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date Date</div>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					
The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.					
<input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.					
 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Signature</div>			Dated: July 5, 2005		
William H. Drummond DRUMMOND & DUCKWORTH 4590 MacArthur Blvd., Suite 500 Newport Beach, CA 92660			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">(Date)</div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</div> </div>		

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